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11. (SBU) Poloff delivered reftel demarche September 1 to Muratbek Baikhodjoyev, Head of the MFA's Department for International Organizations and Security. Baikhodjoyev said he would pass the points to the Foreign Minister, but pointed out that the CANWFZ signing was set for September 8. While the MFA did not provide us a direct response to the demarche, the government press service reported September 5 that Foreign Minister Jekshenkulov would sign the CANWFZ Treaty on September 8 in Semipalatinsk

12. (SBU) On September 7, British DCM Catherine Inglehearn of the UK Embassy in Almaty (which covers Kyrgyzstan) informed us that the British were sending a note verbale with the P-3 points to the Kyrgyz. Also on September 7, French Charge Eric Millet told us that he would deliver the P-3 points to the MFA. Millet said he had not received instructions on the matter until this week. YOVANOVITCH